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Public Notice –  
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California Resources  
Production Corporation  
– Midland Fee #1

## PUBLIC NOTICE

### **California Resources Production Corporation – Midland Fee #1 Jackson Slough Road, Isleton, CA**

**Public Notice:** The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region (Central Valley Water Board) invites public comment on a request for regulatory closure, made on behalf of California Resources Production Corporation (CRPC) for the Midland Fee #1 facility on Jackson Slough Road, Isleton, Sacramento County, CA (Site).

This Public Notice fact sheet provides general information on the Site. A map showing the location of the Site is attached (Figure 1).

**PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: 31 January – 2 March 2020**

#### **CASE SUMMARY:**

Central Valley Water Board staff have approved CRPC's request for regulatory closure, or 'no further action' (NFA), at a former natural gas condensate separation facility originally owned and operated by Calpine Natural Gas L.P. The Site, now leased by CRPC, is located on the northeastern portion of an approximately 530-acre agricultural parcel in a predominantly rural and agricultural area of the Delta region. Condensate separation processes ceased in early 2000 and structures and tanks were later removed. All that remains on the Site is a waste-water disposal well called Midland Fee #1.

During routine condensate separation activities, petroleum liquids spilled to the ground. Site investigation activities and remedial actions have been performed at the Site since 2004. In 2006, soil was excavated to remove contaminated groundwater and aerate excavated soil to promote petroleum microbial degradation. The aerated soil was then placed back into the excavation. Another soil excavation occurred in 2010 but soil was disposed off-Site and clean soil was brought in to fill the excavation. Groundwater monitoring and additional confirmation sampling events were conducted at the Site to assess the effectiveness of the excavations.

Residual soil and groundwater contamination remain. However, most groundwater wells have statistically significant decreasing trends or have met water quality objectives except where natural peat impacts groundwater quality. Soil confirmation sampling has also indicated significant reduction in petroleum contamination since the excavations. Remaining soil contamination has been modeled to show insignificant risk to vapor intrusion or direct contact concerns. Natural biodegradation processes will also continue to remove residual petroleum contamination in the subsurface.

Central Valley Water Board staff evaluated characteristics of the Site against criteria from the State Water Resources Control Board's Low-Threat Underground Storage Tank Case Closure Policy (Low-Threat Closure). According to the Low-Threat Closure policy, the Site meets criteria for closure because it does not present a significant threat to human health, safety, or the environment.

Central Valley Water Board staff agree with CRPC's request for NFA at Midland Fee #1. CRPC's request for NFA at the Site is now open to the public for comments and concerns for a period of 30 days.

### **WHERE DO I GET MORE INFORMATION?**

Historical reports and the request for NFA can be viewed by accessing the State Water Resources Control Board's GeoTracker respective website at:

[https://geotracker.waterboards.ca.gov/profile\\_report.asp?global\\_id=SL0606706015](https://geotracker.waterboards.ca.gov/profile_report.asp?global_id=SL0606706015)

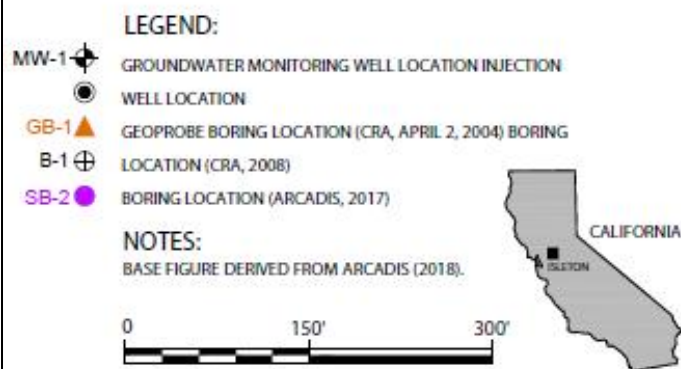
The case file for the Site is also available for review at the Central Valley Water Board office located at 11020 Sun Center Drive, Suite 200, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. To make an appointment for a file review, please call (916) 464-4636.

### **HOW DO I PARTICIPATE?**

Any interested individual can learn more about the case by contacting either Mr. Julian Grijalva with CRPC or Mr. John Murphy with the Central Valley Water Board. Written comments regarding concerns or issues on the planned regulatory closure for the Site must be submitted to John Murphy at the Central Valley Water Board by **2 March 2020**.

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<p align="center"><b>Site Location Map</b> Former Condensate Facility - Midland Fee #1 Jackson Slough Road Isleton, California</p>	
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**Figure**  
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